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School Song

Here's to dear old Rocky Mount High Ere will we her proclaim. While we live until we die Let all who love her shout her name. Here's to friendships tried and true Made in our high school days Ever to her be the honor And ever to her be the praise.

To the boys-to the girls To the school and its glorious history. To the youth, to the men Who have gone into life from her happy halls To the past—to the now To the glorious days that are to be To the deeds we have done To the halls of heroes we have sung.

Then-Here's to dear old Rocky Mount High Ere will we her proclaim. While we live until we die Let all who love her shout her name. Through life we will remember her Ne'er will we soil her name And we'll fight her battles for her And ever spread abroad her fame.



JOHN PAGE
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Forward

Music is the ever present undercurrent of our daily lives. The radio that awakens us in the morning, the humming of the bus driver, the whistling grocery boy all form a symphony of sound that serves as an accompaniment to life. Being aware of this fact, we, the staff of the 1951 Hi-Noc-Ar, have endeavored to show the important place music plays in our school hours. For with the echoes from the band room, the lively tones of the choir and voices of the students - 810 strong - lifted in assembly, R.M.H.S. truly has 'Music In The Air'.

Just any morning from 10:00 - 10:45! The Editor, the advisor and the "prettiest" photographer.



Alan Marian



"Hail To The Chief"

To Mr. Harold T. Parry

who has given so unselfishly of his time, talent and interest; who has with his band and choir brought recognition and honors to our school and our city; who is always pleasant, and in spirit and deed a true friend of young people, we, the staff, gratefully and affectionately dedicate this- The 1951 Hi-Noc-Ar.



Seated, left to right: Mr. D. S. Johnson, Mrs. Ruby Blythe.

Standing, left to right: Mr. William Coleman, Mrs. T. R. Easterling, Mr. George R. Edwards, Mrs. Julian Whitehurst, Mr. W. Myers Ivy, Mr. W. L. Thorp.

Absent: Mr. T. J. Pearsall, Mr. Frank Wilkinson.

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The members of the Board of Trustees of the Rocky Mount City Schools, though busily engaged with personal responsibilities, give generously of their time and ability in the interest of our school. This group has provided the administrative leadership that answers adequate opportunities for the youth of this community to prepare for useful living.



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Mr. Johnson, who was the principal of R.M.H.S. before becoming Superintendent, has long been a friend of young people. With wide experience in teaching, guidance and administration, Mr. Johnson is well equipped to serve the schools and his community in the cause of progressive education.

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Mr. Edson, who is completing his second year as principal of R.M. H.S., enjoys the respect and admiration of his co-workers and students. His sense of fairness, discipline, and keen wit create a feeling of good will wherever he goes. Striving daily to make our school one of the best in North Carolina, Mr. Edson has given his honest efforts and unselfish devotion toward that goal.



"School Days - - - School Days"











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Band; Choir; B.S. Drake University; Graduate work, Northwestern.

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Tommy Bass Vice President

Margaret Boone
Secretary

Ralph Adams
Treasurer

"The Last Mile Home"

This group entered old R.M.H.S. in the Fall of 1950 looking a little more mature than the past year and exercising every possible privilege, for at last they were Seniors. They had attained their highest goal. The Fall officers did a fine job in selling Christmas cards and turned the job over to the Spring officers with the "pot" full. The main job of the Spring officers is to plan the graduation ceremonies, and at the printing of this annual were going about the job with a new found zest. As for the others, they were looking into the future which might bring college, good jobs, or — the armed forces.

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

SPRING TERM

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Margaret Boone
Secretary

Harold Harper

President

George Harris
Vice President



Patsy Abernathy
Music Lovers Club; Edsonian
Dramatic Organization; Advanced Physical Education.

William Adams
Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Choir; Homeroom President; Traffic Committee; Decoration Committee for JuniorSenior.

Shirley Anderson
National Honor Society; Tri-HiY; Marshall for Commencement;
World Federalists; Future Teachers; Chairman of Handbook
Committee; Treasurer of Student Organization; Winner of
Essay Contest; Good Sports
Club; Senior Superlative; Winner of Music Medal.

Anne Bailey
Good Sports Club; Student Organization Representative; Social Committee; Homeroom Offices; High Salesman in Magazine Campaign; Refreshment Committee for Junior-Senior; Miss Community Chest '51'; Runner up in Miss Print Contest; Beauty Queen Court; Choir; F.H.A., Dancing Club; Edsonian Dramatic Organization.











of 1951

Ralph Adams
Homeroom offices: Treasurer of
Senior Class; BAFOS; Service
Club; Varsity Football; Varsity
Baseball; Traffic Committee;
Eagle Scout.

Elizabeth Lorraine Allen Treasurer of Tri-Hi-Y; Good Sports Club; Student Organization Representative; Refreshment Committee of Junior-Senior; Dancing Club; Homeroom Offices.

Claudette Archie G.A.A.; F.H.A.; Decoration Committee for Junior-Senior; Tri-Hi-Y; Art Club; Decoration Committee for Freshman Frolic.

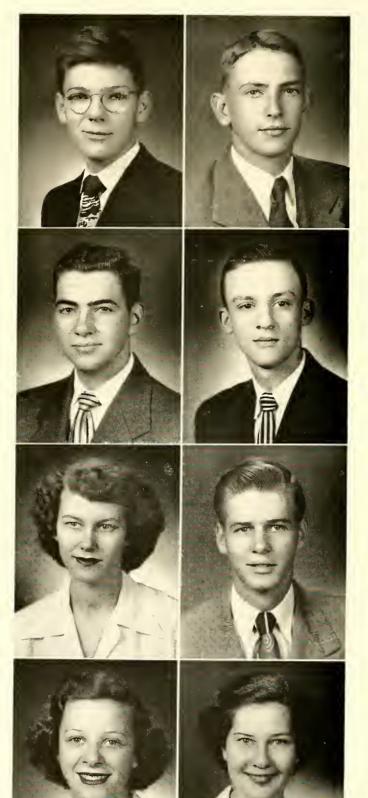
Nancy Bartholomew Secretary of Sophomore Class; Vice-President of Junior Class; Homeroom Offices; Tri-Hi-Y Offices; Delegate to Leaders Congress; Hi-Noc-Ar Staff; National Honor Society; Junior Red Cross Representative; Student Organization Representative; Junior-Senior Planning Committee; Bulletin Board Committee; Candidate for Miss Print; Elections Committee: Senior Superlative; Condidate for Beauty Queen; Commencement Marshall.

Norman Bartholomew
Red Cross Representative; HiY; Athletic Club; Homeroom
Offices; School Sports Writer for
Evening Telegram; Music Lovers Club; Traffic Committee;
Bulletin Board Committee; Band

Bruce Batchelor
Vice-President of Homeroom;
Music Club: Bulletin Board
Committee; Boy Scout.

Doris Blandford Homeroom Offices; Junior Red Cross; Choir.

Anne Blunt
Tri-Hi-Y; Homeroom Offices;
Good Sports Club; Black Masquers; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Honor at Dramatics Festival; Senior Girl Scout.



of 1951

Tommy Bass
Vice-President of Sophomore and
Senior Classes; Vice-President
of Service Club; Secretary of
BAFOS; Varsity Baseball 2, 3,
4: Football and Baseball Manager; Program Committee; Fire
Drill Committee; Traffic Committee; Homeroom Offices.

Joseph Beard
Vice-President of Homeroom;
Decoration Committee for Junior Senior; Visual Education
Club; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Black Masquers.

Jack Bloodworth

Margaret Boone
National Honor Society; Black
Masquers; Secretary of Senior
Class: Debating Team '48';
President of Student World Federalists; Tri-Hi-Y Offices; Chairman Refreshment Committee to Common to Common to Common to Committee; Homeroom Offices;
Junior Senior Decoration Committee; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Entertainment Committee for Freshman Frolic.

Monroe Brinson
Vice-President af Hameraam;
President af Audia Visual Aid
Club; Music Lavers Club; Edsonian Dramatics Organization;
Black Masquers; Saund Technician in Dramatics.

Dorothy Brock
Girl's Chorus; Choir; Office
Work; F.H.A.; Edsanian Drumatics Organization.

Anne Bulluck
Tri-Hi-Y; F.H.A.; Condidate for
Miss Print Contest; Chair; Creerleader; Compus Sweetheart;
Beauty Court; Hameraam Officer; Dancing Club; Edsonian
Dramatic Organization; Decarative Cammittee for Junior-Senior

Billy Calhoun
Student Organization Representative; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Service
Club; Band; Hameraam Officer;
Baseball Manager.



of 1951

Bob Britt
Faatball (Varsity) 2, 3, 4; Varsity Baseball 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Athletic Club; BAFOS; Hi-Y Officer; Edsanian Dramatic Organization.

Allen Brown
Homeroam President; D. E. Club
President; Delegate ta D. E.
Conventian; President af Eastern District af State D. E. Cangress.

Robert Burgess
Transferred from Charles L.
Caon High School, Wilson; Edsanian Dramatic Organization.

Cecil Capps
Art Club; Homeraam Bulletin
Baard Committee; Subject Class
Officers.

Ladoskia Carmichael D.E. Club; G.A.A.; F.H.A.; Classroom Offices; Homeroom Basketball Team; Advanced Physical Education.

Betsy Carr Homeroom Offices; Co-Chairman of Decoration Committee for Junior-Senior; Trì-Hi-Y; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Ir Music Club, Vice-President Good Sports Club; Business Manager of Hi-Noc-Ar; Secretary of Junior Class; Student Organization Representative; Cheerleader; Co-Chairman of Edsonian Scrapbook; Senior Girl Scout; F.H.A.; Delegate Trì-Hì-Y Training Congress; Delegate to Eastern District Student Council Congress.

Jimmy Carter
Elections Committee; Editor of
Blackbird; Debating Team; Varsity Football; Choir; Student Organization Representative;
Treasurer of Sophomore Class;
Homeroom Offices; Kiwanis T.
B. Essay Contest Winner; Dancing Club.

Katherine Collins Girl's Chorus; Choir; Typing Service Club.



of 1951

Bobby Carpenter
H.-Y; Choir; Student Organization Representative; Homeroom
Offices; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4,;
Treasurer of Junior Red Cross;
Refreshment Committee for
Junior Senior; Traffic Committee;
Edsonian Dramatic Organization.

Bruce Carr

Homeroom Offices; Tri-Hi-Y Offices; Delegate to Tri-Hi-Y Officences; Chairman of Program Committee for Junior-Senior; Business Manager of Blackbird; Secretary of Freshman Class; Edsonian -Dramatic Organization; Choir; Member of Beauty Queen Court; Secretary of Red Cross Council; Alternate to G.rl's State; Delegate to Civitan Youth Conference; Candidate for Miss Print Contest; Runnerup for Campus Sweetheart.

Bobby Chandler

Homeroom Offices; Vice-President of Sophomore Class;
Junior Senior Invitations Committee; Black Masquers; National Honor Society; Service Club;
World Federal.sts; Band; Eagle Scout; Chairman Traffic Committee; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Delegate Eastern District Student Council Congress.

Dorothy Combs

Junior Red Cross Representative; Junior-Senior Decoration
Committee; G.A.A.; F.H.A.; D.

Bobby Craft
Homeroom President; Edsonian
Dramatic Organization; Band;
Baseball

Betty Anne Cross
Tri-Hi-Y; Homeroom Offices;
Junior Red Cross; G.A.A.; Edsonian Dramatic Organization;
National Honor Society; Delegate to Tri-Hi-Y Convention;
Student Organization Representative; Typing Service Club;
Social Committee; Refreshment
Committee for Junior-Senior.

Bill Daughtridge
Junior Red Cross Representative; Music Committee for
Junior-Senior; Social Committee;
Vice-President of Homeroom;
Eagle Scout; Music Lovers Club;
Edsonian Dramatic Organization.

Bobby Davis
Choir; Homeroom Offices; Freshman Debating Club; Visual
Education Club.



of 1951

Lester Croom

Decoration Committee for the
Freshman, Sophomore, and
Junior Senior Dances; B Squad
Football; Varsity Football; Gun
Club; D.O. Club

Charles Cuddington
Student Organization Representative; D.E. Club; Edsonian
Dramatic Organization; Decoration Committee for Junior-Senior,

Hazel Daughtridge
Choir; Homeroom Offices; TriHi-Y; Art Club; Junior Red
Cross Representative.

Melbourne Davis Varsity Football; Basketball Manager,

Grace Dew
Tri-Hi-Y Office; Student Organization Representative; Homeroom Offices; First Rating in Costuming at N.C. Dramatic Festival 1950; Football Game Sponsor; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Dancing Club; Social Committee; Decorations Committee for Junior-Senior; Girl Scout; Winner of P.T.A.

Award.

Katherine Dove
Hi-Noc-Ar Staff; Secretary of
Tri-Hi-Y; Good Sports Club Offices; Secretary-Treasurer of Edsonian Dramatic Organization;
Senior Girl Scout; Entertainment Committee for JuniorSenior; Student Organization
Representative.

Frances Dunn President of Good Sports Club; Student Organization Representative; Secretary of Student Organization; Delegate to Eastern District Student Council Congress; Junior Music Club Offices; Secretary of Junior Tri-Hi-Y; F. H.A.; Secretary of National Honor Society; Delegate to National Honor Society Conference; Chairman of Scrapbook Committee for National Honor Society; Chairman of Figure Committee for Junior-Senior; Chairman Baccalaureate Committee; Associate Justice of Girls' State; Hi-Noc-Ar Advertising Manager; Miss Print Contest; Senior Superlatives; Chief Commence

ment Marshal.

Addie Neville Earley Tri-Hi-Y; Good Sports Club; Choir; Junior-Senior Decoration Committee; Dancing Club; Senior Program Committee.



of 1951

Janet Dickens Tri-Hi-Y; G.A.A.; F.H.A.

Bill Dove
Choir, Homeroom Offices; Visual Education Club; D.O. Club;
Classroom Offices.

Marshal Duval
Varsity Football; Basketball
Manager; Homeroom Offices;
Transfered from Thomas Jefferson High School.

Jean Eason
Girl's Chorus: World Federalists; Secretary of F.H.A.; Homeroom Offices; Tr.-Hi-Y; Student
Organization Representative;
Art Club.

Alice Evangeline
Treasurer of Homeroom; Good
Sports Club; F.H.A.

Betsy Dianne Farmer Homeroom Representative; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 3, 4; Choir; Dancing Club, Homeroom Committee; Edsonian Dramatics Organization, Girls Chorus.

Margaretta Flythe
Tri-Hi-Y; Homeroom Offices;
Committee for Freshman Frolics; Dancing Club, Homeroom
Committee.

Mildred Fredrick Candidate for Junior-Senior '49 May Court; Sponsor for Football Game; Secretary of D.E. Club.









of 1951

Bobby Faithful
Homeroom Offices; Boy Scout;
Athletic Club; Stage Crew.

Virginia Belle Fipps Girl Scout; G.A.A.; F.H.A.; Refreshment Committee for Sophomore Dance; Junior Red Cross; Refreshment Committee for Junior- Senior; Band; Subject Class Offices; Choir.

Helen Sue Fowlkes
Choir; Vice-President of D.E.
Club; Future Teachers Club;
Future Homemakers Club; Senior Girl Scout; Tri-Hi-Y.

Jerry Frye

Barbara Fulghum

Tri-Hi-Y Offices; Homeroom Offices; Refreshment Committee for Sophomore Dance; Good Sports Club; World Federalists; Junior-Senior Decoration Committee; Hi-Noc-Ar Staff; Black Masquers; Chairman of Lost and Found; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Treasurer of Junior Class; Delegate to Civitan Youth Conference.

Floyd Gainus

Classroom Offices; Chairman of Homeroom Program Committee; President of D.E. Club; Editor and Promotional Manager of D.E. Club.

Dick Gregory

President of Student Body; Vice-President of State Student Council; Chairman of House and Grounds Committee; President of Sophomore Class; Homeroom Offices; Delegate to Boys State, Hi-Noc-Ar Staff; Service Club; Secretary of BAFOS; Eagle Scout; Vice- President of State National Honor Society; Varsity Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Ki-wanis Boy of the Month, Senior Superlative; Traffic Committee.

Nancy Jane Griffin Drum Majorette; Choir; Homeroom Offices; World Federalists;

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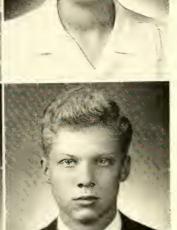
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of 1951

Ben Futrell
Varsity Basketball; B.Squad
Football, Homeroom Offices;
BAFOS; Music Lovers Club; Intramural Athletics.

Billy Gray
Student Organization Representative; Vice-President of BAFOS; Homeroom Offices; Traffic Committee, Varsity Football 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Decoration Committee.

Betty Jean Griffin Tri-Hi-Y Offices: Junior Red Cross Representative: Treasurer of F.H.A.; Edsonian Dramatic Organization.

Bobby Grimes
Student Organization Representative: Hi-Noc-Ar Staff; Homomom Offices; Social Committee; Traffic Committee; Firedr.ll Committee of Junior-Senior; Program Committee for Freshman and Sophomore Dances; Hi-Y Offices.

Jerry Grimes
Band: Visual Education Club.

David Hadlow

B-Squad Football; Dancing Club;
Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Classroom Offices.

Sidney Hardesty
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Hi-Y; Student Organization Representative; Homeroom Offices;
Traffic Committee; Junior Red
Cross; Bulletin Board Committee.

Nancy Harper
Transfered from Washington,
D.C.; Activities at Eastern High
School; Majorette, Spanish Club,
President of Red Cross; President of Bible Club.







of 1951

Billy Gupton
Varsity Football 3, 4; President
of Black Masquers; Edsonian
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Manager; Contest Play Cast;
Decoration Committee for JuniorSenior.

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Homeroom Offices; Student Organization Representative

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Senior Superlative; President of
Senior Class; Visual Education
Club.

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All-Eastern; Honorable All-Sutern
Mention; Honorable All-Southern
Mention; Blocking Trophy; HiY; Traffic Committee.

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Choir, Tri-Hi-Y; Homeroom Offices; Majorette; Transfered to
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Junior Class Secretary.

Barbara Hartman

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Joan Hedgepeth
Refreshment Committee for Junior-Senior; News Reporter for F.H.A.; President of F.H.A.; Choir; Junior Red Cross.

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BAFOS, Hi-Y Treasurer; President of Homeroom; Varsity
Football 3, 4; Chorus.



of 1951

Helen Harrod

Tri-Hi-Y; Choir; Future Teachers; World Federalists; Sentor
Girl Scout; Musical Festival in
Greenville.

Emma Jean Hedgepeth Junior Red Cross; Choir; Typing Service Club; Tri-Hi-Y; G.A.A.; Secretary to Miss McClure and Mr. Neal Adkins.

Dan Herring
Varsity Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4;
Varsity Football 2, 4; Varsity
Baseball 3; Optimist Bowl 1950;
All-Eastern Basketball; All-Eastern Football; Athlete of Week;
Homeroom Offices; Senior Superlative.

Vernon Huggins Choir, Slide Rule Club, Boy's Chorus.

Billy Hunt Student Organization Representative; Blackbird Clown; B-Squad Football; Music Lovers Club; Homeroom Offices.

Edward Johnson Social Committee; Traffic Committee; Blackbird Clown; Secretary of Hi-Y: Junior-Senior Decoration Committee; President of Music Lovers Club.

Edna Mae Jordan

Anne Joyner Tri-Hi-Y; Typing Service Club; Subject Class Offices.













of 1951

Martha Ann Inscoe Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Choir; F.H.A.; G.A.A.; Tri-Hi-Y; Homeroom Committees.

Martha Johnson Homeroom Offices; Student Organization Representative; Refreshment Committee for Junior-Senior; Senior Girl Scout; Choir; Dancing Club, Edsonian Dramatic Organization.

Alice Joyner Treasurer of Freshman Class; President of Junior Tri-Hi-Y; Junior Nominating Committee; Invitation Committee for Freshman and Sophomore Dances; Figure Committee for Junior-Senior; National Honor Society; Candidate for Junior-Senior Beauty Court,

Frances Joyner Entertainment Committee for Freshman Frolic; Homeroom Offices; World Federalists; Senior Girl Scout; Junior Red Cross; Choir; Dancing Club; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Advertising Manager for Blackbird.

Sara Joyner

Student Organization Representative; Tri-Hi-Y; Service Club
Treasurer; Good Sports Club;
Co-Chairman of Edsonian Scrapbook; Senior Girl Scout; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; F.
H.A.; Maid of Honor for May
Court 3; Junior-Senior Decoration Committee; Student Director for Contest Play 3; Contest Play.

Fred King
Secretary of Homeroom; Music
Lovers Club.

Melvin Leggett
Slide Rule Club; D.O.; Choir.

Ridley Livesay Treasurer of D.O. Club; Treasurer of Rifle Club; Scout Jamboree at Valley Forge.



of 1951

Aubrey Kenney
B-Squad Football; Band; Cheerleader; Dancing Club; Tennis;
Art Club; Junior-Senior Decoration Committee.

Barbara Land
Tri-Hi-Y Offices; Student Organization Representative Service
Club; Homeroom Offices; JuniorSenior Decoration Committee;
Chairman of Social Committee
for Student Organization.

Paul Lindsey Visual Education Club.

Frank Livesay
Varsity Football 2, 3, 4; Varsity
Basketball 2, 3; President of
Homeroom; Traffic Committee;
Hi-Y; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Delegate to Boys
State; Kiwanis Boy of the Month;
President of Senior Class; Junior
Senior Decoration Committee;
Vice-President of BAFOS; Civitan Citizenship Award.

Betsy Gwendolyn Lockamy Junior Red Cross; Choir; Typing Service Club; Homeroom Committees; G.A.A.

Bob Marriott
Homeroom Offices; Traffic Committee; Choir; Boy Scout; Music Lovers Club.

Lib Mayo
Vice-President of Tri-Hi-Y; Edsonian Dramatic Organization;
Student Organization Representative; Homeroom Offices, Service Club; Senior Girl Scout;
Junior-Senior Decoration Committee,

Bruce Miller
Transfered from Savanna, Ga.;
Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Dancing Club; Stage Crew;
Boy's Choir; Contest Plays-4.















of 1951

Irma Luper Secretary of Homeroom, Secretary of Black Masquers, Music Lovers Club, Edsonian Dramatic Organization.

James Robert Matthews D.E. Club; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Vocational Shop Club.

Mary Baker Merritt Homeroom Offices; Choir.

Barbara Mobley
Student Organization Representative; President of Homeroom; Junior-Senior Figure Committee; Tri-Hi-Y Offices; Music Theory Club; Freshman Dance Committee; Sophomore Decoration Committee; Student Organization Scrapbook Committee; Choir,

Vivian Mobley
Juniar Red Cross; Majorette;
Edsonian Dramatic Organizatian; Vice-President of Black
Masquers; Junior-Senior Decaratian Committee; Stage Crew for
Festival Plays.



Phyllis Moore Homeraom Offices; Secretary af

D.E. Club; F.H.A.

of 1951

Delores Murray
Choir, Art Club, Refreshment
Committee for Junior-Senior.



Jean Murray
Choir; Vice-President of F.H.A.;
Student Organization Representative.

Roy McCarter Varsity Football, Varsity Basketball; Optimist Bowl; Athlete of Week; All-Eastern '50'.



Ann McLean

D.E. Club; Visual Education
Club; Tri-Hi-Y.

Erroll Neville
Transfered from Enfield High
School; Varsity Football; President at Class at Enfield High
School; Hameroom Offices.



John Page
Editar of the Hi-Noc-Ar; President of Freshman, Saphamare, and Juniar Classes; Delegate to N.C.S.C.C. 2; Delegate ta Bays State; Junior-Senior Committee Chairman; Homeroom Offices; Kiwanis Boy of the Month; President of Hi-Y; Student Organization Fepresentative; Civitan Medal; Senior Superlatives; BAFOS; Commencement Marshal.

Ann Parker President of Homeroom; Cho'r; Junior-Senior Committee; Tri-Hi-Y; Treasurer of Sophomore Class; F.H.A.; Edsonian Dramatic Organization.

Shirley Pearson Tri-Hi-Y; Senior Girl Scout; G. A.A.; Visual Education Club; Edsonian Dramatic Organization.

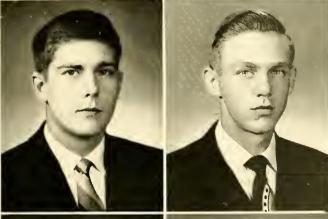
Jimmy Pierce B-Squad Football; Varsity Football; Junior-Senior Decoration Committee.

Hilda Phillips F.H.A.; Junior Red Cross; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Program Committee for Freshman Frolic.













of 1951

Lillie Parker Homeroom Offices; Majorette; G.A.A.; Choir; Runner-Up for Miss Print Contest; Service Club; Senior Superlative.

Ralph Peed Army Veteran; Typing Service Club.

Gary Phillips Student Organization Representative; Hi-Y; World Federalists; Sophomore Nominating Committee

Bill Philips

Varsity Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain of Football Team 4; Varsity Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; J.C. Best Blocker Football Award; Billy Smith Memorial Football Trophy; Traffic Committee; President of BAFOS: Kiwanis Boy of the Month; Hi-Noc-Ar Staff; Homeroom Offices; Hi-Y; President of National Honor Society; Student Organization Representative.

Juanita Pittman
Junior Red Cross; Treasurer of
Tri-Hi-Y; Secretary of Homeroom; Edsonian Dramatic Organization.

Kenneth Putman Visual Education Club.

Gerald Ann Raynor
Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Choir; F.H.A.; G.A.A.;
Tri-Hi-Y; Dancing Club.

Fay Reynolds Student Organization Representative; Miss Print Contest; Freshman Nominating Committee; Homeroom Offices; Tri-Hi-Y Offices; Vice-President of Edsonians; Good Sports Club; Black Masquers; Senior Girl Scout; Hi-Noc-Ar Staff; Senior Superlative; Campus Sweetheart Runner-Up; Delegate to Interstate Tri-Hi-Y Convention; Junior-Senior Invitations Committee Chairman; Candidate for Junior-Senior Beauty Court; Commencement Committee; Contest Play













of 1951

Arthur Proctor

8-Squad Football 2, 3; Varsity
Football 4.

Hazel Rawls

Tri-Hi-Y; Service Club; Choir;
Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Senior Girl Scout; Circulation Manager of Blackbird;
Entertainment, Refreshment, and
Beauty Court Committee.

Jessie Deans Reid
Tri-Hi-Y; Homeroom Offices; Fire
Drill Committee; Senior Girl
Scout; Dancing Club; Edsonian
Dramatic Organization.

Jimmy Richardson
Co-Captain of Tennis Team;
State Tennis Tourney Delegate;
Vice-President of Freshman HiY; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Choir; Dancing Club.

John William Ricks Homeroom Offices; H.-Y; Dancing Club.

Barbara Rowland
Secretary of Edsonian Dramatic
Organization; Black Masquers;
Blackbird Staff; Junior Red Cross;
Homeroom Offices; Tri-Hi-Y;
Contest Play.

Jean Smith Homeroom Offices: F.H.A.; Tri-Hi-Y.

Catherine Speight
Social Committee; Dancing Club.



of 1951

Willa Ruth Riley
Choir; Typing Service Club;
G.A.A.; Student Organization
Representative; F.H.A.

Herbert Slater
Homeroom Offices; Junior-Senior
Decoration Committee; Music
Lovers Club.

West Spain
Varsity Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; B-Squad Football; Varsity Football; Homeroom Offices; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Co-Captain of Baseball Team; President of Dancing Club.

Ellis Starling

Geraldine Starling
F.H.A.; National Honor Society;
Choir; Junior-Senior Refreshment Committee; Student Organization Representative; Servetary for Miss Kitchin; Typing Service Chib.

Clyde Straughan
Captain of Band; Junior Music
Club; Homeroom President; AllState Band; Music Theory Club;
Senior Superlative; JuniorSenior Figure Committee.

Joyce Taylor
Tri·Hi·Y; F.H.A.; Typing Service Club; Treasurer of Homeroom.

Jimmy Thornton
Vice-President of Student Body;
Golf Team 3, 4; National Honor
Society; Hi-Y; Traffic Committee;
Kiwanis Boy of the Month; Student Organization Representative; Homeroom Offices; Delegate to N.C.S.S.C.C.; Class Offices.

















of 1951

Lois Starling
Typing Service Club; Art Club.

Bill Sturgess
Homeroom Offices; Dancing
Club; Choir; Varsity Basketball; Football Manager.

Lewis Thompson Master Sergeant of Band; Gun Club; Visual Education Club.

Seabury Thorp
Student Organization Representative; Eagle Scout; Service
Club; Election Committee; Traffic Committee; Homeroom Offices,

Seniors

Bo Thorpe
B-Squad Football; Varsity Baseball; Baseball Manager; Band;
All State Band; Service Club;
Head Cheerleader; Homeroom
Offices; Vice-President of Junior
Class; Senior Superlative; Music
Committee for Junior-Senior; Boy
Scout; High School Dance Band;
Edsonian Dramatic Organization.

Dorothy Walker
Treasurer of G.A.A.; JuniorSenior Decoration Committee;
Social Committee of Homeroom;
F.H.A.

Alva Wallace
Homeroom Offices; Assistant
Editor and Editor of The Blackbird; President of Tri-Hi-Y; Honorary Member of Black Masquers; Good Sports Club; High
School Reporter for Evening Telegram; Choir; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Contest
Play; Student Organization Representative.

Jane Warren

Delegate to Red Cross Camp;
Chairman of Junior Red Cross;
Tri-Hi-Y; Good Sports Club;
Junior Music Club; World Federalists; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Choir; Student Organization Representative; Homeroom Offices; President's Cabinet; Treasurer of G.A.A.; Junior-Senior Refreshment Committee; Senior Superlative; Choir Clinic at Greenville.







of 1951

Irene Turner
Tri-Hi-Y; World Federalists;
Transfered to Jacson, N. C.

Elizabeth Walker
Choir; G.A.A.; Music Lovers
Club; Homeroom Committees.

Helen Walters
Tri-Hi-Y; Music Lovers Club;
Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Debating Club.

Helen Wells
Student Organization Representative; Junior Red Cross; F.H.
A.; Homeroom Offices; National
Honor Society; Treasurer of
D.E. Club; Delegate to National, State, and District D.E. Convention.

Seniors

Joe Wheeless
Varsity Football; Varsity Basketball; BAFOS; Treasurer of
Homeroom; Edsonian Dramatic
Organization.

Carroll Wiggs
Tennis; Cheerleader; Service
Club; Homeroom Offices; Senior Superlative; Band; JuniorSenior Decoration Committee.

Durwood Wilkins
Band; Chairman of Entertainment Committee for Freshman
Frolic; Music Committee JuniorSenior; C.A.P.

Dot Williams
Secretary of Homeroom; President of G.A.A.; Secretary of Eastern Carolina Division of G.A.A.; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; D.E. Club.



of 1951

Carol Wiggins
Tri-Hi-Y Offices; Homeroom Offices; Choir; Chairman of Lost and Found Committee; Student Organization Representative; Dancing Club; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Senior Grin Scout; Junior Red Cross; Junior-Senior Program Committee; Contest Play.

Blanche Wilkins
Governor of Girls State; Representative to Girls Nation; Vice-President of National Honor Society; Secretary of Service Club; Homeroom Offices; Tri-Hi-Y Offices; Student Organization Representative; Parliamentarian for Student Organization; Secretary of Sophomore Class; Campus Sweetheart; Cheerleader; Miss Print Contest; Junior-Senior Beauty Court; Good Sports Club; Senior Superlative; Junior-Senior Figure Committee.

Carolyn Due Williams
President of G.A.A.; Vice-President of State G.A.A.; Treasurer of Homeroom; Typing Service Club; Edsonian Dramatic Organization; Choir; F.H.A.

Ellen Williams Secretary of Student Body; Vice-President of National Honor Society; President and Vice-President of Good Sports Club; Homeroom President; Student Organization Representative; Vice-President of Tri-Hi-Y; Delegate to Tri-Hi-Y Conference; Secretary of Junior Class; Junior-Senior Refreshment Committee Chairman; Girls State Alternate: Service Club; Senior Superlative; Scrapbook Committee; Chairman of Commencement Committee; Future Teach-

Seniors

Pete Winstead

Hi-Noc-Ar Staff; Homeroom

President; Junior Red Cross;

Choir; Traffic Committee; D.O.

Club.

Charles Wright
Homeroom President; VicePresident of D.E. Club; B-Squad
Football ot Durham High School.

Shirley Powell



of 1951

Benny Wrenn
Traffic Committee; Golf Team;
Hi-Noc-Ar Circulation Manager;
Choir; Treasurer of Hi-Y; Homeroom Offices; President of Edsonian Dramatic Organization;
Junior-Senior Decoration Committee.

Ann Zimmerman
Tri-Hi-Y Offices: Choir; Secretary of Good Sports Club; G.A.
A. Offices; National Honor Society; Homeroom Offices; Student Organization Representative; Vice-President of World Federalists; Commencement Marshal; Civitan Award; House and Grounds Committee; Treasurer of Senior Class.



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Fall Term

Billy Cooper

Gene Williams

President

Johnnie Shelton
Secretary

Lloyd Thrower

"Just One More Chance"

The Fall staff of Junior officers undertook one of the main projects of the Junior class, that of raising money by selling magazines. These officers worked very hard on this and with the cooperation of the whole class sold more magazines than any other class in the history of the school. Having done a wonderful job, the Fall Officers turned the reigns over to the new Spring officers. They then began planning the Junior-Senior, the main social event of the school year. Much effort was put into this, and the results were that it turned out to be one of the best in many a year and the 1951 Junior-Senior will remain in a lot of peoples minds for a long time. All in all, it was a pretty wonderful year.

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Spring Term

Lloyd Thrower Vice-President

Gene Williams

President

Shirley Robbins
Secretary

C. C. Daughtridge
Treasurer



Nancy Adams
Jane Allsbrook
Roger Andrews
Jimmy Armstrong

Tommy Avent
Mary Ayscue
Emily Baker
Ed Bandy

Norma Barnes
Linwood Barkley
Robert Bartholomew
Cavelle Batchelor

Elizabeth Bateman
Jeanette Batts
Dessie Baxley
Crystal Beecham

Elsie Bergeron Mary Birney Barbara Bland Donald Blankenship

Barbara Boone
Preston Bradshaw
Rob Ned Brannock
Charlotte Brown

Nancy Browning
Edgar Bulluck
Bonnie Bunn
Pat Burgess

Gene Byrum
R. G. Capps
Dickie Carmichael
Edward Cartee

Odell Cockrell
Billy Cooper
Jean Cooper
Grace Daniels





Clay Daughtridge Jerry Daughtridge Paul Daughtridge Betty Lou Davis

Jack Davis Mary Davis Ann Dennis June Denson

Barbara Dickens

Margaret Diehl

Peggy Dietzel

Margaret Eason

Buddy Edmondson
Carolyn Ellis
Nancy Ellis
Bill English

Harvey English
Kay Finch
Mary Franks
Sue Franks

Kitty Friar Mary Jo Goodwin Virginia Gray Becky Griffin

Wilton Griffin Geraldine Hall Tim Hall Dean Hamill

Nancy Harrelson Marian Harris Bobby Harper Jim Hobbs

Worthington Hobbs

Jean Hoel

Tam Holliday

Jeanette Holmes

Mary Eva Howell
Ray Howell
Annette Jenkins
Barbara Jenkins

Carol Jenkins
James Johnson
Johnnie Johnson
Julia Johnson

Edgar Joyner Nellie Joyner Retha King Thomas King

Thelma Lancaster
Doris Langley
Charlotte Leonard
Bennett Lindsey

Billy Littleton
Charles Lundy
Catherine Magee
Joe Maddox

Janet Mellor Nell Melvin Jimmy Mizzell Velna Motley

Bobby Moore Homer Moore Lorenzo Moore Patsy Moore

Peggy Moore Gordon McAdams Mary Jo McKinney Joyce McNeely

Arbie Odom Horace Odom Billy Overton Bobby Owen





Willard Owens
Ann Page
Catherine Parker
Fred Patton

Tommy Peed
Eleanor Peele
Bernice Perry
Susan Pierce

Le Stevia Pigford Lena Pittman Norma Jean Pittman Billy Powell

Tommy Powell
M. H. Pridgen
Jean Proctor
Betty Jean Pullen

Sylvia Pullen Albert Rabil Mary Richardson Jeanette Robbins

Shirley Robbins
Julia Robinson
Donald Rooker
George Rose

Pat Ryan
Robert Searcy
Randolph Sellers
Johnnie Shelton

Jimmy Shine
Colin Sholar
Tommy Slater
Jimmy Smith

Grace Strange

Jean Strickland

Betty Sumblin

Betty Ann Talton

Mildred Tart

Bernard Taylor

Fred Tharrington

Bill Thomas

Tommy Thomas
Lloyd Thrower
Robert Varnell
Clarence Wallace

Ruby Walker
Peggy Ward
Margaret Warren
Frances Webb

Silas Weeks William Weeks Royster Wheeler Dot Whitley

Peggy Whitley
Charles Williams
Dot Williams
Gene Williams

James Williams Marjorie Williams Neil Williams Owen Williams

Anita Williamson
Sara Williamson
Bobby Woodruff
James Womble



Martie Louise Watson

Born: September 4, 1933

Died: September 1, 1950



Betty Jo Younginer



Sophomore Class Officers

Fall Term

George Patseavouras Vice-President

> Alice Barnes President

Mary Wilkinson Secretary

Betty Ann Powell Treasurer

"The Roving Kind"

At the first of the year the Sophomore Class elected their officers and went to work on their project for first semester keeping the concession stand for all basketball games. This is the big money making project of the Sophomore Class. The money made from this was used to pay all their bills, finance their annual spring hop, and to send different things to cheer George Newby, a member of their class stricken with Polio at the first of the year.

The Sophomores sponsored a "War Child" from Poland. Each class

member gave one dollar for this.

One accomplishment is that they have gone further in parliamentary proceedure than any other class. They have a parliamentarian elected as a regular class officer.

Their annual spring dance, a combination square and round dance,

highlighted the second semester.

Sophomore Class Officers

Spring Term

Betty Ann Hedgepeth Vice-President

Mary Ruth Divine Secretary

Claranda Mangum Parliamentarian

Mary Wilkinson President

Edward Hallford Treasurer



Sophomores '51

Mrs. Lundy

First Row - Left to right: Margie Walker, Jimmy Womble, Nancy Parry, Janet Fulcher, Phyllis Bone, Melba Wallace, Jerry Ezzell.

Second Row: Durwood Murray, Dona Clark, Frank Hay, Ghazzi Hamed, Frances Riddle, Alice Barnes, and Mrs. Lundy

Third Row: Clarance Skinner, Edward Hallford, Andrew Hardesty, Billy Hair, Joyce Jenkins, Bernard Manning.

Fourth Row: Fred Lee, Ralph Chason, Billy Kilgo, Russel Bartholomew, Marion Thompson, Billy Langley.

Mr. Chapman

First Row - Left to right: Kay Moore, Barbara Ann Drake, Christine Brantley, Mary Eveland, Francis Williams, Jane Edwards, Nancy Haggard.

Second Row: H. T. Simmons, Billy Odom, George Strickland, Freddie Sexton, Ollen Proctor, Wilson Pitt, Mr. Chapman

Third Row: Mack Ruffin, Charles Putman, Bobby Cobb, Buddy Baines, Dickie Taylor, Charles Robbins.

Mr. McGregor

Front Row - Left to right: Mary Ruth Divine, Jo Ann Windbam, Daphine Riley, Doris Ellis, Eileen Griffin, Marian King, Ray Langston,

Second Row: Peggy Hamric, Barbara Futch, Sue Daughtridge, Marilyn MaKela, Shirley Bolton, Bernice Wheeliss.

Third Row: Billy Adams, Sanford Harris, Barbara Coley, Laverne Fleming, Virginia Math.s, Jimmy Meehle, Richard Byrd, Jack Honnicutt.

Fourth Row: Richard Edmondson, Bobby Edwards, Albert Parker, George Pateseavouras, William Hales, Mr. McGregor.







Sophomores '51

Mr. Gorham

First Row - Left to right: Glen Daughtridge, Joyce Proctor, Gertrude Coggins, Joy Jones, Elva Griffin, Walter Phillips.

Second Row: Mr. Gorham, Dickie Collins, Bobby Daughtridge, George Pearce, Charlotte Wood, Sally Privette, Betty Ann Powell.

Third Row: Nancy Eason, Betsy Ann Evans, Sandra Gay, Alice Grace Godwin, Bobbitt Clay, Billy Moore, Billy Coppedge.

Fourth Row: Dick McIntyre, Randal Winslow, Rudolph Moore, Joe Wimberly, Norman Casey, William Green, Wilton Holliday.

Absent: Dick Hart, Grace Rose.



"Hail, Hail, The



Sophomores

Mrs. Robbins

First Row - Left to right: Mary Ann Braswell, Jimmy Bergeron, Rudolph Brantly, Betty Jean Spence, Shirley Stone, Betty Ruth Starling, Shirley Ray Robinson.

Second Row: Roy Davis, Sylvia Crocker, Marie Tyler, Marcia Milne, Edwina Jones, Carolyn Proctor, Shirley Norville, John Drake.

Third Row: Bobby Conway, Dan Stancil, Ed Braswell, Donnie Campbell, Larry Webber, Bobby Williams, Billy Lewis, Bobby Lockamy.

Fourth Row: Alec Nelms, Joe Ezzell, Tim Kermon, Waverly Smith, Marland Reid, Mrs. Robbins,



Sophomores '51

Miss McLaughlin

First Row - Left to right: Sally Adams, Myra Padgett, June Giddeon, Mary Avera, Beth Hurt, Gwen Cooper.

Second Row: Louis Falkner, Mickey Dawson, Wayne Hux, Margaret Reaves, Shirley Vaughn, Betty Ann Hedgepeth, Pat Keel, Miss McLaughlin.

Third Row: Donald Bryan, Jimmy Bishop, Alton Denning, Robert Lindsey, Al Brinson, Janet Williams.

Fourth Row: Carter Gregory, George Farmer, Jim Barksdale, Billy Spencer, Jimmy Daughtridge.

Gang's All Here"

of 1951

Mrs. Kramer

First Row - Left to right: Fay Barkley, Jeanette Little, Shirley Ricks, Sylvia Best.

Second Row: Mack English, Neva Munnerlyn, June Cockrell, Ada Frazier, Dot Russell.

Third Row: Douglas Newton, Mallory Chambliss, May Proctor, Sheila Robbins, Mary Wilkinson.

Fourth Row: Donald Edwards, Grady Gardner, Judge Johnson, Charles Boone, Tommy Looney, J.mmy White.





Freshman Officers

Janet Spain, Secretary; Marvin Ward, Vice-President; Elizabeth Vann, Treasurer; Elise Williams, President

"I'm Bashful"



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Miss Murchison

First Row - Left to right: Phil Wheeless, Bart Ritner, Joseph Hoggard, Ruth Sides, Elise Williams, Brooks Hinson, Penn Stranburg, Louise Tant, Pat Pittman, Patricia Leavitt.

Second Row: Sharon Floe, Carol Gryb, Sue Gregory, Marlene Blount, Richard Price, Tommy Robbins, Peggy Jo Geddie, Bobby Gay, Miss Murchison.

Third Row: Margaret Daughtridge, Nicky Shine, Aaron Matthews, Marshall Sullivan, Peggy Stanley, Christine Hufham, Faye Grady, Nancy Hollingsworth, Bobby Deans

Fourth Row: Stanley Robinson, Newsom Maples, Lloyd Hedgepeth, Bob Cummings, Darrell Boyd, Billy Smith, Charles Hughes, Joe Lancaster.

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Freshmen of '51

Mrs. VanBuskirk

First Row - Left to right: Mickey McNeeley, H. C. Kensaul, Bobby Wheeless, Kay Sanders, Patty Pierce, Helen Whitley, Jane Hill.

Second Row: Carolyn Stancil, Val McMillan, Inez Brinkman, Gordon Wilkinson, Kay Congleton, Elizabeth Vann, Jack King, Mrs. VanBuskirk.

Third Row: Charlie Ray, Dennis Bennett, Ralph Strange, Gus Jones, Peggy Searcy, Jean Moore, Barbara Blanford, Edith Saunders.

Fourth Row: Joe Raynor, Jack McCarter, Dave Barnes, Dan Capps, James Shearin, Bo Gupton, Lee Bellamy.

Miss Birkhead

Front Row - Left to right: W. K. Coggin, George Knight, Billy Culpepper, Bill Nelms, Shirley Williford, Carolyn Lowder, Janice Sumner, Beverly Joyner, Anne Proctor.

Second Row: Gordon Waters, Berry Lamn, Richard Wells, Charlie Batts, Barbara Avent, Yvonne Alford, Mary Jo Mears, Joan Mixon.

Third Row: Leroy Fleming, Jeanette Gay, Doris Parker, Sallie Bartholomew, Peggy Pettitt, Loretta Clark, Peggy Privette, Jean Thorpe, Mary Crowley.

Fourth Row: L. M. Barnes, Linwood Pittman, Herbert Spain, Harold Winslow, Carl Peters, Eddie Leonard, Gene Lanier, Lee Parker, Marvin Ward.

Miss Ricks

Front Row · Left to right: Mary Sue Clay, Sis Livengood, Myrna Koonce, Sherrill Kellert, Janis Gray, Bobby Hayes, Edith Gardner, Pearl Lewis, Jeanette Hughes, Wayne Griffin.

Second Row: Anna McDonald, Kaigler Thornton, Barbara Brown, Nancy Leehane, Jackie Hawkins, Mary Ann Moore, Jerry Gardner, John Coats, Eulis Robards, Miss Ricks.

Th'rd Row: Bobby Jeans, Robert Daughteridge, Bobby Fleming, Robert Oakley, Inez Booth, Sally Ezzelle, Betty Jo Howard, Jean Coleman, Carolyn Fare.

Fourth Row: Jimmy Selby, Joe Briley, Clark Thompson, Lynwood L'ollowell, Jimmy Crumpler, Bill Tharrington, Johnny Warren













Freshmen of '51

Mr. Privott

First Row - Left to right: Richard Whitley, Joseph Carmichael, Emily Ryals, Peggy Sexton, Glenda Starling, Barbara Ann Moore, Harry Baines, Y. L. Jessup.

Second Row: Mr. Privott, Mamie Johnson, Peggy Bateman, Patricia Harris, Garland Chick, Joan Wynn, George Moore, George Burton, Vivian Williams.

Third Row: Johnny Soden, Baxter Savage, Carolyn Gardner, Martha Ann Raynor, Betty Sue Cash, Mary Elizabeth Pike, Barbara Jackson, Pat Alexander.

Fourth Row: Billy Colston, Wiley Fisher, Freddy Turnage, Pal Capps, Harry Gray, Janice Lindsay, Kenneth Fussell, Harold Denton, Jimmy Stallings.

Absent: Betty Ivey, Hendricks

Miss Turnage

First Row - Left to right: Eddie Booth, LaVerne Strickland, Rose Marie Booth, Evelyn Eveland, Sally Brown Ellen, Martha Becknell, Kitty Herring, Jimmy Davis, Miss Turnage,

Second Row: Delmore Joyner, Jean Winstead, Jeanette Bennett, Shirley Hux, Douglas Jones, Barbara Brantley, Yvonne Churchill, Jimmy Daughtridge, Walter Currin

Third Row: Marvin Walters, Barbara Bedgood, Hugh May, Wilma Campbell, Mildred Leggett, Jimmy Hondras, Patsy McAuley, Gordon Weeks.

Fourth Row: Raymond Highsmith, Malbry Blanford, Douglas Hunt, David Earl Cooke, Eddie Pennington, James Campbell, Theo Pitt, Mary Helen Melvin, Janet Spain.

Miss Johnson

First Row - Left to right: E. L. Daughtridge, Dot Rogers, Rachel Huneycutt, Edith Ann Johnson, Mary Proctor, Betsy Barnes, Glenda Overman, Paul Bulluck, Jr., Floyd Perry.

Second Row: John Marriott, Betty Jean Cowley, Sarah Moore, Elizabeth Thompson, Mollie Spruill, Edith Layton, Stanley Leggett, Miss Johnson.

Third Row: Steve Proctor, Barbara Jones, Wade Bryant, Mary Jane Gardner, Johnnie DuFour, Sbirley Sutton, Linda Bergeron, Cecil Joyner.

Fourth Row: Aubrey Almand, James Spain, James Chandler, Clellon Peele, Tommy Taylor, Bobby Shipman, Carter Hedrick.



Organizations



Student Organization Officers

Left to right: Ellen Williams, Secretary; Miss Kitchin, Adviser; Dick Gregory, President; Jimmy Thornton, Vice-President; Blanche Wilkins, Parliamentarian; Shirley Anderson, Treasurer.

Student Organization

Student Government Cabinet

Left to right: Shirley Anderson, Barbara Fulghum, Billy Powell, Jimmy Thornton, Bobby Chandler, Donald Bryan, Sheila Robbins, Jane Warren, Barbara Land, Ellen Williams.



Student Organization Representatives

The purpose of the Student Organization is to represent and be the voice of the student body. Through standing committees and special projects, it plans and carries out activities for school improvement. While carrying out these activities, it provides an opportunity for student leadership and fellowship and it promotes democratic citizenship. The Student Organization is divided into three divisions with each division having its own complete organization.

Division One is the General Organization with its four officers, its ten major or standing committees, and its assembly of representatives from the homerooms.

Division Two is the Class Organization. For each of the four groups - freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior - there is an organization consisting of four officers, an advisor, and the necessary committees - all from the homerooms comprising the group.

Division Three is the Homeroom Organization with its four officers, the homeroom teacher, and the desired committees.



"The Three Sides of The Body---Mind And



Freshman Tri-Hi-Y

Left to right: Mrs. Ivey, Nancy Hollingsworth, Betty Sue Cash, Kaigler Thornton, Anna K. McDonald, Rose Marie Booth, Val McMillan, Peggy Geddie, Betty Ivey, Mary Sue Clay, Elizabeth Vann, Sis Livengood.



Freshman Hi-Y

Left to right - Front Row: John Drake, Marland Reid, Jimmy Bishop, Freddy Turnage, Jimmy Shelby, Billy Colston, Gordon Waters.

Second Row: Dave Barnes, Andrew Hardesty, S. E. Strickland, J.m Barksdale, Billy Spencer, Russell Bartholomew, Mr. Finch

Third Row: Mr. L. A. Bailey, Glenn Daughtridge, Ken Brinson, Dan Stancil, Fred Lee, Wayne Hux, Benjamin Williams

Sophomore Tri-Hi-Y

First row - left to right: Shirley Stone, Betty Ann Powell, Myra Padgett, Betty Hedgepeth, Miss Rachel Brame.

Second row: Barbara Futch, Betty Jean Spence, Aileen Griffin, Sheila Robbins, Sylvia Crocker, Frances Riddle

Third row: Fay Barkley, Daphine Riley, Melba Wallace, Mary Ann Braswell, Mary Ruth Divine, Sue Daughtridge.



Triangle Are - - - -Spirit"

Junior Tri-Hi-Y

First row - left to right: Marian Harris, Emily Baker, Johnny Shelton, Elizabeth Bateman, Jean Cooper, Carolyn Ellis, Mary Jo McKinney, Jane Allsbrook, Miss Mildred Conyers.

Second row: Virginia Gray, Shirley Robbins, Dot Whitley, Kitty Friar, Norma Barnes, Charlotte Leonard, Mary Jo Goodwin, Velna Motley, Tamara Holiday.

Third row: Kay Finch, Pat Ryan, Bonnie Bunn, Becky Griffin, Nancy Adams, Mary Richardson, Margaret Lynn Diehl.



Senior Hi-Y

Front row - left to right: Edgar Joyner, Bob Britt, Billy Hunt, Edward Johnson, Billy Holding, M. H. Pridgen, Billy Powell, John Page.

Second row: Mr. Burts, Gary Phillips, Bobby Grimes, Norman Bartholomew, Colin Scholar, Benny Wrenn, Preston Bradshaw, Billy Cooper.



Senior Tri-Hi-Y

First row - left to right: Anne Zimmerman, Frances Joyner, Bruce Carr, Nancy Bartholomew, Hazel Rawls, Juanita Pittman

Second row: Miss Gurley, Lib Mayo, Betsy Carr, Shirley Anderson, Martha Johnson, Emma Jean Hedgepeth, Ann Joyner, Miss Riddle.

Third row: Barbara Land, Jane Warren, Jessie Deans Reid, Carol Wiggins, Margaretta Flythe, Helen Harrod, Ann Blunt.

"Where In The World But In America"

here in the world but in America,
here, oh where, but in America,
here in the world, but in Americacan you sing true freedom's song?
Here in the world of wondering and blundering,
Fear and want turning willing men to killing men,
Let's all share with the other folk, our brother folk;
That's the old American way.
Where in the world but in America,
Where, oh where, but in AmericaWhere in the world but in Americacan you sing true freedom's song?

Junior Music Club

The Junior Music Club is composed of teenagers from all classes of high school - freshmen through the seniors. These boys and girls are talented in different fields of music - ranging from the clarinet to the organ. Once a month, the club meets at the home of one of its members. The meetings are always interesting with the program being given by one of its members.

Junior Music Club

Frances Dunn, Emily Baker,
Virginia Gray, Thelma Lancaster, Edith Ann Johnson,
Betty Talton, Jane Warren, Sylvia Pullen, Peggy Ward.
Velna Motley, Carolyn Lowder, Janet Fulcher, Betsy Carr,
Marian Harris, Alice Barnes,
Ruth Sides, Betty Hedgepeth,
Mary Ann Braswell, Mary Wilkinson, Mary Jo McKinney,
Billy Rawls, Clyde Straughan,
Neil Williams, Ralph Chason.



Good Sports Club

Front row: Mary Jo McKinney, Kay Finch, Marian Harris, Blanche Wilkins, Sara Joyner, Anne Bailey, Shirley Anderson.

Second row: Miss Birkhead,
Fay Reynolds, Barbara Fulghum, Ann Blunt, Katherine
Dove, Betsy Carr, Ellen Wiliams, Frances Dunn, Ann Zimmerman, Addie Earley, Norma
Pittman, Betsy Allen, Jane
Warren.

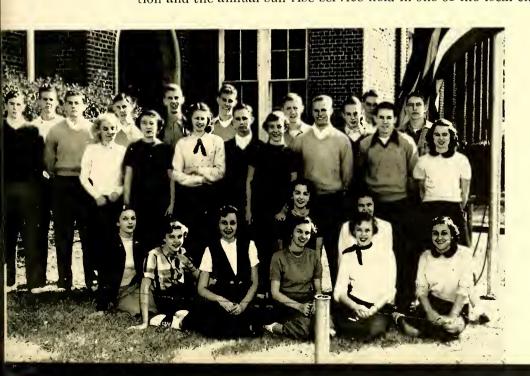


Good Sports Club

The Good Sports Club is composed of girls who are outstanding in sportsmanship, character, and leadership. The football season is highlighted by the selling of victory ribbons and the Good Will Tour between Rocky Mount and Wilson high schools. A banquet for all athletic teams always winds up the year with a bang.

Service Club

The Service Club, as its name implys, renders service to the school and community. It functions regularly by giving devotions in assemblies and at the P.T.S.A. meetings, by raising and lowering the flag, and by sponsoring different campaigns. Their work is highlighted by the Easter devotion and the annual sun rise service held in one of the local churches.



The Service Club

Front row - left to right: Norma Pittman, Barbara Land, Emily Baker, Hazel Rawls, Dot Whitley, Lillie Parker.

Second row: Miss Craighill, Joyce McNeeley, Ellen Williams, Billy Calhoun, Shirley Robbins, Carroll Wiggs. Bo Thorpe, Blanche Wilkins.

Third row: Gene Williams, Ralph Adams, Billy Cooper, Seabury Thorp, Bobby Chandler, Jimmy Thornton, Billy Overton, Billy Powell, Donald Rooker, Tommy Bass.



THE BAFOS

First row - left to right: Billy Gray, Bo Thorpe, Bob Britt, Billy Hold.ng, Jimmy Daughtridge, John Page, Gene Williams, Worth Hobbs.

Second row: Ralph Adams, Bobby Gr.mes, Waverly Smith. B.lly Overton, Charles Lundy, Clarence Skinner, Tommy Looney.

Third row: C. C. Daughtridge, Bill Philips, Dick Gregory, Ed Bandy, Billy Cooper, Joe Wheeless.

Fourth row: Ben Futrell, Tommy Bass, West Spain, Mr. E.E. Adkins, George Harris, Robert Bartholomew, Frank Livesay.

The BAFOS

This organization has played a large part in the betterment and promotion of good athletics. Its purpose is to create, to maintain, and to promote clean sportsmanship and living among our high school athletes. This year has proven its value to the whole school. The club wound up its year with not only a fine record but a full treasury.

National Honor Society

The basic requirements for admission to this society is excellence in scholarship, with due consideration given to the qualities of leadership, character, and service. Through its members the society strives to create an enthusiasm for scholarship, to promote service and leadership, and to develop character in the students of our high school.

National Honor Society

Front row - left to right: Alice Joyner, Margaret Boone, Dick Gregory.

Second row: Shirley Anderson, Ellen Williams, Harold Harper.

Third row: Nancy Bartholomew, Ann Zimmerman, Betty Ann Cross, Bill Philips.

Fourth row: Geraldine Starling, Helen Wells, Frances Dunn, Jimmy Thornton, Bobby Chandler.



Musettes

First row - left to right: Anita Williamson, Margaret Moore Eason, Betty Anne Cross, Shirley Anderson, Charlotte Leonard, Miss Jessie Johnson.

Second row: Emily Baker, Sylvia Pullen, Mary Jo McKinney, Catherine Parker, Margie Williams, Joyce McNeely, Julia Jordon, Sarah Williamson.



Musettes

The Future Teachers of America headed by Miss Jessie Johnson, was started a few years ago by a group of students interested in the teaching profession. The members who wish to see how much ability they have for this type of work are allowed to try their hand at teaching.

F. H. A. Club

The work of the F.H.A. can best be explained by its purposes. The purposes are: promoting a growing appreciation of the joys and satisfactions of homemaking, emphasizing importance of home membership, encouraging democracy in home and community life, promoting good will, providing wholesome recreation, and furthering interest in home economics.



F. H. A. Club

Front row - left to right: Catherine Magee, Grace Strange, Jeanette Holmes, Catherine Parker, Julia Jordan, Charlotte Leonard, Marjorie Williams, Joan Hedgepeth, Mildred Tart, Dorothy Brock.

Second row: Nancy Browning, Annette Jenkins, Odell Cackrell, Dorothy Williams, Barbara Rowland, Jane Dickens, Claudette Archie, Geraldine Hall, Jean Eason.

Third row: Patsy Moore, Barbara Jenkins, Dessie Mae Baxley, Jeanette Robbins, Jean Murray, Jean Smith, Dorothy Walker, Martha Ann Inscoe, Hilda Phillips.

The

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Shirley Robbins

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Mrs. Kramer's Dramatics Club

First row - left to right: Carolyn Ezzelle, Sally Ellen, Rose Marie Booth, Fay Barkley, Sherrill Kellert, Elise Williams, Ruth Sides, Patricia Harris.

Second row - Peggy Searcy, Patsy McAuley, Gordan Wilkinson, Peggy Bateman, Margaret Daughtridge, Edith Gardner, Sue Gregory, Sylvia Best

Tbird row: Eddie Booth, Newsom Maples, James Chandler, Alton Denning, Carol Gryb, Ada Frazier, May Proctor.

Fourth row: Tommy Looney, Bobby Daughtridge, Grady Gardner, Dick Hart, Jim Barksdale, Joe Wimberly, Mallory Chambliss.

Mr. Edson's Dramatics Club

First row - left to right: Emily Ryals, Sharon Floe, Elizabeth Thompson, Barbara Anne Moore, Penn Strandberg, Edith Anne Johnson, Peggy Sexton, Betty Cash, Yvonne Cburchill, Wilma Campbell, Mary Proctor, Vivian Williams, Betty Ivey, Mary Helen Melvin.

Second row: Jerry Ezzelle, Herbert Spain, Berry Lamm, Billy Adams, W. K. Coggins, Lewis Faulkner, Cbarlie Batts, Bernard Manning, Garland Chick, Arion Matthews, Mack English, Bobby Williams.

Third row: Mr. Edson, Dickie Edmondson, Hendrix Arnold, Bill Nelms, Mickey McNeeley, T. M. Kerman, Clarence Skinner, Larry Joyner, Mack Ruffin, Tommy Lewis, Donnie Campbell, Wily Fisber, Roy Davis.



World Federalists

Front row - left to right: Helen Harrod, Mary Franks, Nancy Harper, Shirley Anderson.

Second row: Miss Parker, Sylvia Pullen, Charles Williams, Anne Zimmerman, Mary Jo

Third row: Gary Phillips, James Womble, Margaret Boone



The Student World Federalists

The purpose of the Student World Federalists is to educate and to interest people in World Government. The club includes both juniors and seniors. During the year, the club sold class pins, wrote letters to congressmen urging them to support World Government, and had many educating programs on current topics.

The Junior Red Cross

The Junior Red Cross is one of the most active organizations in school. The members are constantly at work. They have many responsibilities. They filled Red Cross boxes, sent a large number of playing cards to the veterans in the hospitals, and also collected ash trays for the service men.

During second semester, The Red Cross group took a course in first aid. This course has proven to be very successful and it is something very important at this time.



Junior Red Cross

First row - left to right: Jo Ann Windham, Doretha Joyner, Betty Ruth Sterling, Bonnie Bunn, Juanita Pittman, Evelyn Eveland.

Second row: Barbara Bland, Jeanette Batts, Jean Coleman, Shirley Sutton, Jane Warren, Martha Raynor.

Third row: Margaret Reaves, Bruce Carr, Doris Blandford, Pat Burgess, Miss Turnage

Fourth row: Dot Price, Nancy Harrelson, Pat Keel, Barbara Blandford, Melba Wallace

Fifth row: Wade Bryant, Robert Lindsey, Johnny Johnson, Marlene Blount, Gene Lanier, Ollen Proctor, Douglas Newton.



Typing Service Club

Front row: Edna Jordan, Lois Starling, Ralph Peed, Nellie Joyner.

Second row: Sara Williamson, Joyce Taylor, Betty A. Cross, Ann Joyner.

Third row: Betsy Lockamy, Willa Riley, Emma Jean Hedgepeth, Geraldine Starling.

Fourth row: Catherine Collins, Erroll Neville, Janet Mellor, Mrs. Bowden.

Typing Service Club

The typing service members have proved invaluable in their help to the teachers and the school. Kept busy during activity period each week, they have rendered various services in the line of typing. Each member chooses a teacher and does any work that this teacher might have.

Distributive Education Club

Our Cooperative Distributive Education program provides work-experience along with related training in school. Through the D. E. program an attempt is being made to find and train those young people who choose a career in retailing or an allied field.

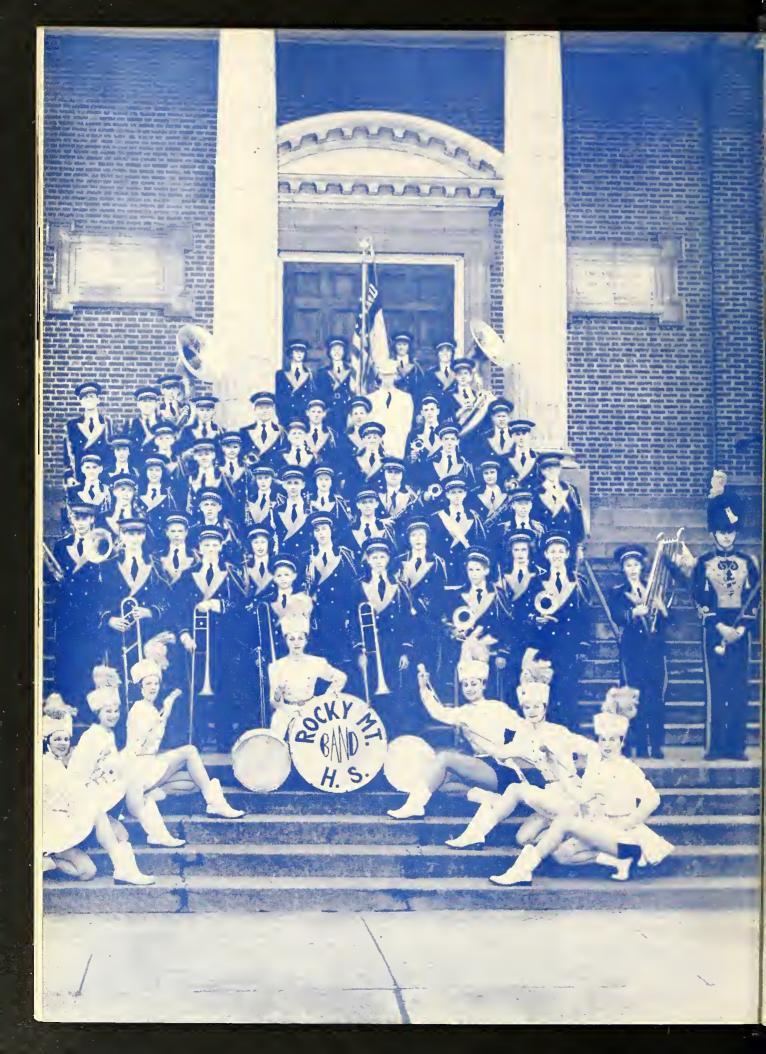
D. E. Club

Standing - left to right: Charles Cuddington, Bobby Matthews, Charles Wright, Owen Williams, Allen Brown, Ray Howell, Harvey English, Bobby Jackson, Tommy Powell, Randolph Sellers, Floyd Gainous, Jack Davis, Linwood Barkley.

Seated: Miss Jean Riddle, Sue Fowlkes, Retha King, Charlotte Brown, Doris Langley, Helen Wells, Dottie Williams, Docky Carmichael, Doris Blanford

Mary Eva Howell.







Choir

Back row - left to right: Sue Daughtridge, Nancy Eason, June Cockrell, Boots Daughtridge, Bill Sturgess, Bill Tove, Jimmy Carter, Bobby Cobb, Charles Haislip, Bob Marriott, Edgar Joyner, Tommy Bass, Benny Wrenn, Billy Moore, Aubrey Kenney, Kenneth Putman, Doris Ellis, Barbara Mobley.

Third row: Mr. Farry, Martha Johnson, Catherine Collins, Ann Zimmerman, Joy Jones, Janet Williams, Louis Booth, Bobby Carperter, Marland Reid, Pete Winstead, Clyde Straughan, LaVerne Fleming, Nancy Marrelson, Jean Eason, Jeanette Batts, Hazel Rawls.

Second row: Nell Harr's, Jane Warren, Betsy Lockamy, Emma Jean Hedgepeth, Dorothy Brock, Gertrude Coggins, Sue Fowlkes, Nell Melvin, Helen Harrod, Frances Joyner, Alva Wallace, Geraldine Starling, Addie Early, Doris Blandford, Daphine Riley, Nellie Joyner, Ruth Riley, Grace Daniels.

Front row: Annette Jenkins, Jane Edwards, Ada Lou Frazier, Betty Starling, Grace Strange, Leva Pittman, Sarah Williams, Elizabeth Bateman, Martha Inscoe, Jessie Deans Reid, Carol Wiggins, Lillie Parker.

Majorettes

Left to right: Lillie Parker, Margaret Warren, Jeanette Holms, Nancy Griffin, Vivian Mobley, Joyce Proctor, Barbara Futch.

Majorette Mascots

Left to right: Jo Jane Pitt, Dot Williamson, Margie Parrish.





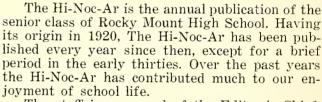






Frances Dunn

Advertising Manager



The

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The staff is composed of the Editor-in-Chief, Business Manager, Advertising Manager, Circulation Manager and ten or twelve regular staff members. All of the staff are seniors with the exception of six juniors who are elected and trained by the staff to take the reins for the coming year.

As for the 1951 staff, there are eighteen members plus two advisors, Miss Alma Murchison and Mr. C. E. Privott. Without the constant help and interest of these two, the publication of this annual would be impossible.

The staff of 1951 from the opening of school in September to the waning months of spring has







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Betsy Carr Business Manager



Benny Wrenn
Circulation Manager

worked to give to you, the students, a book which we hope you'll be proud to own. The pictures on these pages can give a brief outline of the work. Kay Finch and Charles Lundy deciding on a cover they like — Benny Wrenn receiving subscription money from Fay Reynolds, Bobby Grimes and Worth Hobbs — ever faithful Katherine Dove and Pete Winstead typing and checking on copy then looking over the art work are Peggy Dietzel, Ann Page, and Nancy Bartholomew — Dick Gregory and Barbara Fulghum cornering a prospective customer — and of course there is Albert Rabil and Bill Philips with Albert's very important machine, the camera. Yes, all of these jobs plus that of obtaining ads go into the publication of an annual, but we can honestly say it has been fun until the end.

It is our sincere wish that all readers enjoy The 1951 Hi-Noc-Ar as much as we of the staff have enjoyed preparing it for you.

The Editor















Mrs. T. D. Young

Advisor

Blackbird

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Alva Wallace
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Sports

"Hail To The Warsity"





ROBERT BARTHOLOMEW
All-State Guard



COACH E. E. (KNOCKER) ADKINS Conference Coach of the year.



ROY McCARTER All-Eastern End.



"SPERO" Honorary Coach



GEORGE HARRIS Honorable Mention All-American Tackle



CLEET C. CLEETWOOD Asst Coach - Football, Basketball, Baseball.

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1950 RECORD

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BILL PHILIPS Captain Billy Smith Memorial Trophy

DAN HERRING Optimist Bowl Leading Ground Gainer



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Holder of R. M. Passing Touch Down Record



Front row - left to right: George Newby, Lorenzo Moore, Eddie Pennington, Arthur Proctor, Jimmy Daughtridge, Billy Gupton, Jimmy Carter, Jimmy Pierce, Paul Daughtridge, Lester Croom.

Second row: Joe Wheeless, Ed Bandy, Billy Cooper, Waverly Smith, Bobby Owens, Dickey Taylor, Bob Britt, Billy Gray, J. D. Ezzelle, Billy Holding, Ralph Adams.

Third row: Jimmie Armstrong, Roy McCarter, Robert Bartholomew, Dan Herring, George Harris, Bill Philips, Frank Livesay, Marshall Du Val, Buddy Edmondson, West Spain, Mel Davis, Junie Pearce.









BILLY HOLDING Guard

WEST SPAIN Half Back

BOBBY OWENS Half Back

DICKIE TAYLOR Guard

SIGNALS!!!

J. D. EZZELLE Tackle

FRANK LIVESAY End













LORENZO MOORE Full Back

JOE WHEELESS Tackle

WAITING FOR THE KICK-OFF

JIMMY CARTER Half Back

MARSHALL DUVAL Tackle

ARTHUR PROCTOR End

BILLY GRAY Quarter Back









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EDDIE PENNINGTON Full Back



JIMMY DAUGHTRIDGE Center



ROCKY MOUNT LEADS 7-6

BUDDY EDMONDSON Tackle

COACH ADKINS and BILL PHILIPS

WAVERLY SMITH Guard















Tackle flick Wilson. MEL DAVIS

BILLY GUPTON Center

JIMMY PIERCE

MEL DAVIS

BILLI COC. ...

Tackle

Best of livek Wilson.

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PAUL DAUGHTRIDGE

Half Back

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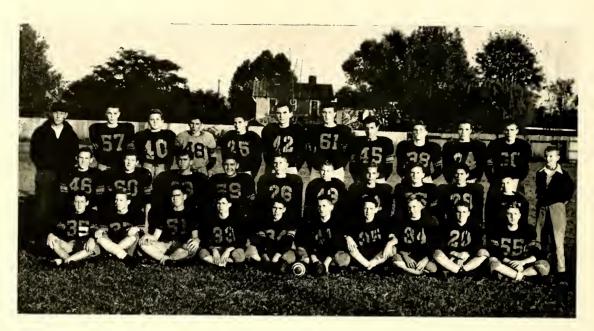






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Junior Varsity Football

Front row - left to right: Bobby Patterson, Bobby Deans, Lee Parker, Theo Pitt, Robert Lindsey, Andrew Hardesty, S. E. Strickland, "Bo" Gupton, Gene Lanier, Jimmy Selby.

Second row: Norman Casey, Jack McCarter, Raymond Highsmith, Baxter Savage, Fred Lee, Bobby Gay, H. C. Kinsaul, Johnny Warren, Bill English, Eddie Booth, Henry Warren, Manager.

Third row: Coach Lundy, Tommy Looney, Flay Hammond, Bobby Edwards, Russell Bartholomew, Charles Boone, Charles Robbins, T. M. Kermon, Edward Braswell, Newsome Maples, George Farmer.



Junior Varsity Basketball

Front row - left to right: Jimmy Selby, Fred Lee, Bobby Deans, Theo Pitt, George Pierce, Jack McCarter, Dave Barnes,

In Center: Gus Jones, Manager.

Back row: Jimmy Daughtridge, Donald Edwards, Judge Johnson, Harold Winslow, "Nappy" Robbins, George Farmer.



Varsity Basketball

Front row: Gus Jones, Mgr., Billy Overton, Billy Gray, Roy McCarter, Bob Britt, Eddie Pennington.

Backrow: C. C. Daughtridge, Robert Bartholomew, Buddy Edmondson, Dan Herring, Captain Ben Futrell, Ed Bandy..



BILLY GRAY Guard



ED BANDY Guard



ROBERT' BARTHOLOMEW Center



ROY McCARTER Forward



CAPTAIN BEN FUTRELL

C. V. LUNDY Coach of Varsity Basketball, Junior Varsity Football, Tennis.



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ROCKY	MOUNT	53	FAYETTEVILLE	56
ROCKY	MOUNT	55	WILSON	35
ROCKY	MOUNT	30	GREENSBORO	70



Baseball

Front row - left to right: Billy Calhoun, Bob Britt, Bobby Carpenter, Arthur Proctor, Lewis Booth, Bobby Deans. Second row: Eddie Pennington, Bo Thorpe, Kenneth Fussell, Albert Parker, Manley Godwin, William Weeks. Third row: Bobby Craft, Tommy Bass, Ben Futrell, West Spain, Joe Wheeless, Ralph Adams.



Cheerleaders

In front: Bo Thorpe, Head Cheerleader. In line - left to right: Blanche Wilkins, Aubrey Kenney, Dot Whitley, Mickey Dawson, Ann Bulluck, Carroll Wiggs, Betsy Carr.



The state of the s

Tennis

Kneeling - left to right: Carroll Wiggs, Captain Dick Gregory, Billy Gray. Standing: Bill Philips, Coach Lundy, C. C. Daughtridge - Absent: Jimmy Richardson.

Golf

Standing: Buddy Edmondson, Coach Adkins, Jimmy Thornton Kneeling: Benny Wrenn, Newsom Maples. Sitting - left to right: Gordon Waters, Eddie Booth.



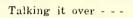
G. A. A.

Front row - left to right: Grace Daniels, Donna Clark, Margaret Eason, Anita Williamson, Emily Ryals. Second row: Johnnie DuFore, Barbara Jones, Linda Bergeron, Barbara Brantley.

Third row: Betsy Ann Barnes, Edwina Jones, Mildred Leggetts, Barbara Blandford.

Fourth row: Nell Melvin, Julia Jordan, Claudette Archie, Mrs. Lundy.







Hunter Stith
Trainer



Shelton Looms Trophy
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Dear Wilson Maraliz Proce what I so my subjects swouldnot know we to do with myself.
We really have pad flux this in navere to we. It's bein lots of work the glo. Ito going to be even more work meet year though. I am think I've were had so much fun in hand defore. It seems that the oripo have been loto more fun than woulde. Dwould write more but time, grace, and thoughts are rumning sut. Hapeto per your round this aimmen

Features



Senior

Best Looking

Blanche Wilkins Carroll Wiggs

Most Athletic

Nancy Bartholomew Dan Herring



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Superlatives

Boy. It has been so

much fan this year.

I'm foing to miss you

and all the others-heap

up the good work-and

you wan't have any truble

Best All Round

Stan as this as you are

Frances Dunn now

John Page dove go.





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Most Likely To Succeed

Frances Dunn Dick Gregory



Senior

Wittiest

Lillie Parker Jimmy Richardson

Most Personality

Fay Reynolds Dick Gregory



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Superlatives

Most Intelligent

Shirley Anderson Harold Harper





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Best Natured

Blanche Wilkins John Page

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Senior

Most Talented

Jane Warren Clyde Straughan

Most Courteous

Ellen Williams John Page



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Superlatives

Most Dependable

Frances Dunn John Page





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Most School Spirited

Blanche Wilkins Bo Thorpe

"You're



Allen Brown

President of Eastern District N. C. Distributive Education Clubs

Allen Brown was elected President of the Eastern District of North Carolina Distributive Education Club. An outstanding member of the R. M. H. S. Distributive Education organization, Allen has been elected President for three consecutive semesters. We offer Allen our heartiest congratulations for this honor to himself and to R. M. H. S.

Ann Bulluck 1950 Campus Sweetheart

After days of campaigning and suspense, Ann Bulluck was crowned "Campus Sweetheart of 1950" at the Charlotte-Tech-Rocky Mount football game. The R. M. H. S. Band, which presents the Annual event, formed a giant heart on the gridiron and played "Sweetheart" as the candidates were driven in style into the heart. As the winner was announced, Ann was presented the traditional bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums. Bruce Carr and Fay Reynolds were runner-ups in the campaign.



Joyce Proctor Miss Print '50-'51

Joyce Proctor, Miss Print for '50-51', was chosen for her outstanding personality and popularity. Most of the candidates were upper classmen, but Joyce pulled through since her fellow under classmen backed her whole-heartedly. The contest is sponsored annually by the Blackbird Staff to raise money to aid in financing the 'Blackbird'. The contest is rapidly growing in popularity and we can rightly say that Joyce Proctor is one of the best. Congratulations!



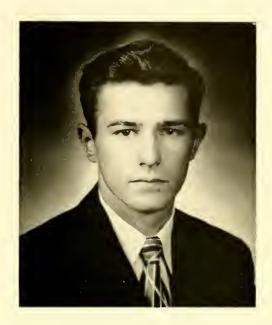
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the Tops"

Gene Williams

President of N. C. S. C. C.

Gene Williams was elected President of the North Carolina Student Council Congress during its annual October meeting in Charlotte. He will attend the national meeting in Massachusetts this summer, direct the work of the Congress during the year, and be responsible for planning next years Congress. The purpose of this Congress is to exchange ideas, create enthusiasm in the participants, and publicize the student participation idea. Gene is the third student from this high school to be elected to this high office.



Blanche Wilkins Governor of Girls' State

Proudly, we present the prettiest and finest governor of North Carolina - or should we say Girls' State. Blanche was elected from girls representing nearly every city or town in the Tar Heel State. After only a day at Womens' College, she was known all over the dormitory because of her winning smile and good nature. It didn't take too much campaigning for Blanche, because her dependability and ability spoke for itself and everyone knew that a finer girl couldn't be found for that important office. She proved herself an efficient and able governor.



George Newby

One of the most stirring and tragic events of this past year was the hospitalization of George Newby, fullback of our Varsity squad. George was taken to Duke hospital the night before his first varsity game in September and after having his case diagnosed as polio was placed in an iron lung.

George was elected president of his Freshman class and was the first scout in the Eastern Carolina Council to receive the God and Country award for service to his church. He represented his troop at the National Scout Jamboree at Valley Forge.

George is now busy winning the battle against polio. All his friends wish him well!



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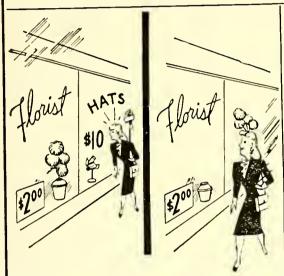
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